



# Illinois Cattle

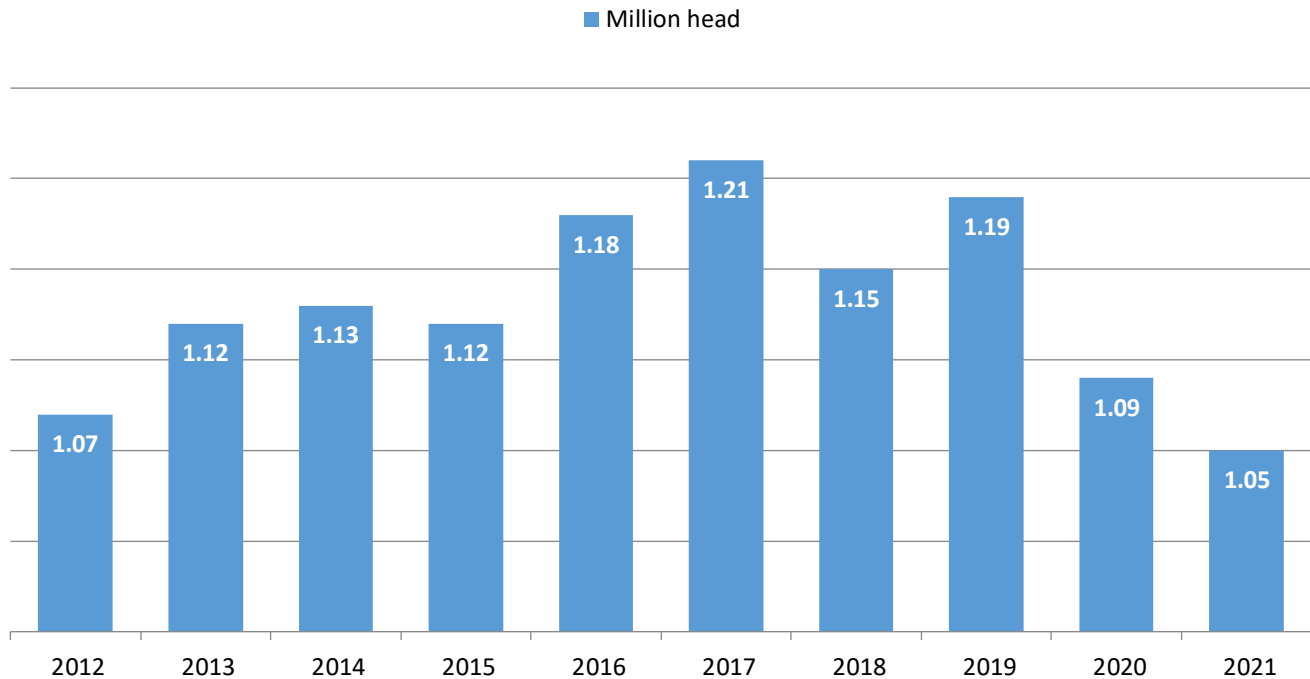
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**All cattle and calves** as of January 1, 2021 totaled 1.05 million head, down 4 percent from January 1, 2020. All cows and heifers that have calved, at 440,000 head, are down 4 percent from a year ago. The 2020 calf crop was estimated at 375,000 head, down 5 percent from 2019.

## Cattle Inventory by Class and Calf Crop – Illinois: January 1, 2020 and 2021

Class	2020	2021	2021 as percent of 2020
	(1,000 head)	(1,000 head)	(percent)
Cattle and calves .....	1,090	1,050	96
Cows and heifers that have calved .....	460	440	96
Beef cows .....	378	356	94
Milk cows .....	82	84	102
Heifers: For beef cow replacement .....	60	65	108
Heifers: For milk cow replacement .....	45	45	100
Other heifers .....	90	95	106
Steers 500 pounds and over .....	240	205	85
Bulls 500 pounds and over .....	20	20	100
Calves under 500 pounds .....	175	180	103
Cattle on feed .....	240	230	96
	2019	2020	2020 as percent of 2019
Calf crop .....	395	375	95

## January 1 Cattle and Calves – Illinois



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